

AIS SCHOOL VISION

For our students to become confident, capable and socially aware global citizens who contribute meaningfully to the communities in which they choose to live and work.

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Jakarta Bytes, 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2025

# **Principal's News**

It has been a rewarding week as I visited many Primary English as an Additional Language (EAL) classrooms as part of our Teacher Appraisal process. It is marvelous to see our beginner English learners engaging so enthusiastically with their teachers and classmates. Yesterday, I had the pleasure of attending the High School assembly to recognise and celebrate our students who recently participated in the World Scholar's Cup. With over 1,500 students competing, several of ours earned top placements, bringing home trophies and medals—an outstanding achievement. Today's Primary Assembly led by Year 3A shared a valuable message about friendship. It was great to see so many students being recognised with certificates for their efforts in class and for participation in a recent badminton competition.

Finally, we will be hosting two Open House events next week for prospective parents and employers. The Primary School Open House will take place on Tuesday 27th May and the High School Open House will take place on Wednesday 28th May. If you have any friends or colleagues that might be interested in having their child (ren) join AIS, please direct them to <a href="mailto:admissions@ais-indonesia.com">admissions@ais-indonesia.com</a>





# **AIS School Uniform Survey**

All parents are invited to complete our <u>AIS School Uniform Survey</u>. We will use the data collected to inform initial discussion as we look to update the AIS School Uniform. A separate survey for students will be shared with them at school.



#### **Upcoming School Camps and Sleepover**

The final weeks of term promise to be filled with excitement as our students head off on a variety of camps and overnight experiences:

- Year 2: School Sleepover
- Years 3 & 4: Camp in Sentul (2 days / 1 night)
- Years 5 & 6: Camp in Sentul (3 days / 2 nights)
- Year 7: Camp in Yogyakarta (4 days / 3 nights)
- Year 8: Camp in Lombok (4 days / 3 nights)
- Year 9: Camp in Bali (4 days / 3 nights)
- Year 10: Camp in Sumatra (4 days / 3 nights)
- Year 11: Camp in Hue, Vietnam (5 days / 4 nights)

In total, 36 staff members will accompany about 200 students from AIS Jakarta, alongside a number of students from AIS Bali. This number does not include our Year 2 students who will be enjoying their sleepover at school. The scale of these events reflects a tremendous amount of planning, coordination, and commitment from our team. A huge thank you goes to Ms Remy, Ms Fiona, Dr Beth, and Ms Sinead for their leadership and support. Also special thanks to the teachers attending the camps.

I ask all parents to stay informed by reading all camp-related communications carefully and ensuring that any requested information is shared with the school promptly. Please also note that camp fees are now overdue, and we ask that any outstanding balances be paid immediately.

Punctuality is essential. Please ensure your child is dropped off and collected at the specified times for their camp group. Thank you for your ongoing support in helping make these enriching experiences possible for our students.

# **Jungle Toppings Canteen Orders**

<u>Please click</u> this link to order Jungle Toppings canteen snacks and lunches for Week 6 beginning Monday 26th May.

### **Canteen News**

We are only a few weeks away from opening our canteen on the North / No 69 Campus for our High School students. Once opened, our High School students will have the option of accessing the main canteen on the South/No 68 Campus or the North/No 69 Campus. More news will be shared next week.

# **Upcoming Events**

Week 7		
Tuesday 27th May	PS Open House Pejaten's Got Talent	
Wednesday 28th May	HS Open House	
Thursday 29th May	Ascension of Jesus Christ Public Holiday	
Friday 30th May	0805. PS Assembly	
Sunday 1st June	Pancasila Day Public Holiday	
Week 8		
Monday 2nd June	AIS PS Soccer Gala Day (Pls note new date)	
Tuesday 3rd June	Kitchen Chemistry Shows (Yrs 5 & up)	
Wednesday 4th June	Campus Advisory Council (CAC) Meeting	
Friday 6th June	Eid Al-Adha Public Holiday	
Week 9		
Monday 9th June	Science Fair PnF Bake Sale	
Wed 11th to Friday 13th June	Year 5 & 6 Camp to Sentul	
Thursday 12th June	HS Swimming Carnival	
Friday 13th June	0805. PS Assembly	
Week 10		
Sun 15th - Thursday 19th June	Yr 11 Camp to Hoi An, Vietnam	
Mon 16th - Thursday 19th June	Yr 7 Camp to Yogyakarta Yr 8 Camp to Lombok Yr 9 Camp to Bali Yr 10 Camp to Sumatra	
Mon 16th - Tues 17th June	Yr 3 & 4 Camp to Sentul	
Friday 20th June	1200.Whole School Assembly 1230. Dismissal for End of Semester	

Sat 21st June to Mon 14th July	School Holidays
Monday 14th July	Teacher Planning Day & Orientation Day for new students
Term 3 Week 1	
Monday 15th July	First Day of Term 3 for all Students

PS = Primary School. HS = High School

#### 2025 AIS Jakarta Calendar

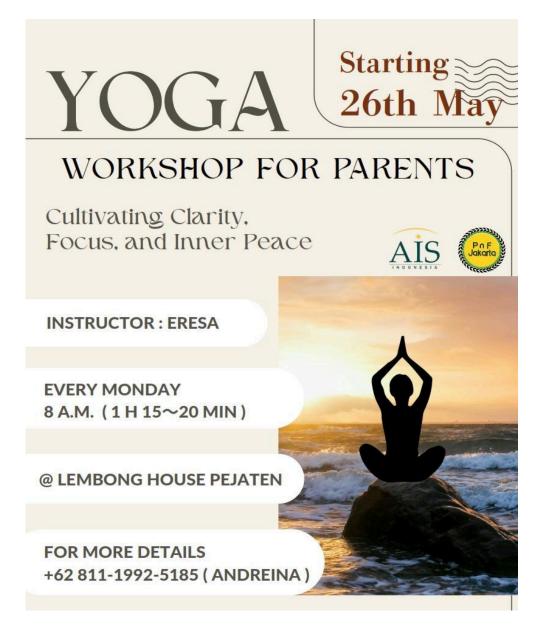
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#### **2026 AIS Jakarta Calendar**

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### **PnF Newsletter**

Parent Workshops - Yoga



For any questions about the workshops, please contact Ms. Ella at 0821-2234-9835 or email us at jakarta.pnf@ais-indonesia.com

### **PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS**

#### What a week!

We kicked things off this morning with a heartwarming assembly from Year 3A, who did a fantastic job presenting on *how to be a good friend*. Their clear messages and confident delivery were a lovely reminder of the values we encourage every day at AIS – well done to all involved!

It's been our first full week in a while, and what a busy one it's been! On Tuesday, Foundation students enjoyed a fantastic day out at Kuntum Farmfield, getting their hands dirty and learning all about farm life. Wednesday saw some of our teachers take on the challenge of the Google Educator Level 1 exam – congratulations to all who passed!

Our Primary basketball team kicked off the week with a home match on Monday, showing great teamwork and sportsmanship. And this Saturday, we're thrilled to be hosting AIS's very first Small Schools Swim Meet. Good luck to all our swimmers – we're sure it'll be a morning full of fun and friendly competition!

A quick reminder to parents: students should not be using the playground equipment after school, as there is no teacher supervision after 2:30 p.m. Any children waiting for siblings must stay at the front of the school near security – thank you for helping us keep everyone safe.

And finally, don't forget that next Thursday is a public holiday, so enjoy the shorter week ahead.

Have a great weekend! **Sinead Smith** Deputy Principal – Primary

Year 2



In **Science**, our unit has centred around the topic of sound. Students have explored how sound is produced through vibrations and how it travels through different materials such as air, water, and solids.



Through hands-on experiments and engaging investigations, they discovered how pitch and volume can change depending on the source of the sound. They particularly enjoyed making telephones and testing how sound can travel through vibration. This unit has sparked lots of curiosity and great scientific questions.



In **HASS**, we've been learning about places and how people feel connected to them. Students have developed their mapping skills by learning to identify the seven continents and some major countries around the world. They have been locating places they have lived in, visited, or heard about, and sharing stories about why these places are special to them. We've had wonderful class discussions about cultural backgrounds, family holidays, and favourite locations. This learning has helped students understand that places have meaning and that everyone's connection to a place can be unique and personal.



Ms. Karlina and Ms. Jordan

# **Merit Certificates**

Class		Teacher
Preschool 3/4L	Aurelia	Ms Linda
Preschool 3/4L	Dogyeong	Ms Linda
Preschool 3/4L	Hudson	Ms Michelle
Preschool 3/4T	Andre	Ms Tia
Preschool 3/4T	Billie	Ms Tia
Preschool 3/4T	Georgia	Ms Michelle
Foundation E	Noah	Ms Elizabeth
Foundation E	Elijah	Ms Elizabeth
Foundation E	Rumi	Ms Nada
Foundation J	Frederick	Ms Joan
Foundation J	Oscar	Mr Yohan
Year 1E	Dam Lee	Ms Ellis
Year 1E	I Eun	Ms Ellis
Year 1E	Adam	Mr Yohan

Year 1S	Hamin	Ms Sehrish
Year 1S	Aqil	Ms Sehrish
Year 2J	Nil	Ms Jordan
Year 2J	Aaron	Ms Indah Nawang
Year 2K	Bella	Ms Karlina
Year 2K	Eunji	Ms Karlina
Year 2K	Isla	Ms Indah Nawang
Year 3A	Elora	Ms Aditi
Year 3A	Michelle	Ms Aditi
Year 3LM	Lyla	Ms Nada
Year 3LM	Alveen	Ms Lorraine
Year 3LM	Aiser	Ms Mo
Year 3LM	Mira	Ms Mo
Year 4C	Sayuri	Mr Cosi
Year 4C	Kari	Mr Cosi
Year 4K	Gaon	Mr Kessell
Year 4K	Nathalie	Mr Cosi
Year 5D	Sarima	Mr David
Year 5D	Clara	Mr Patrick
Year 5D	Jihan	Mr Patrick
Year 5F	Skyler	Mr Dan
Year 5F	Ian	Mr Dan
Year 5F	Enid	Mr Dan
Year 5F	Myungjoon	Mr Patrick
Year 5F	Junsoo	Mr Patrick
Year 6K	Yuhan	Ms Kourtney
Year 6S	Durrah	Ms Susan
Year 6S	Adeke	Mr Patrick
Year 6S	Sara	Mr Patrick
Year 6S	Durrah	Mr Patrick
Year 6S	Mateo	Mr Patrick
Year 6S	Min Gi	Mr Patrick

# **HIGH SCHOOL NEWS**

# **Welcome to High School News**

This week we had a special High School assembly to meet (virtually) Paula and Chris from the Australian National Academy of Entrepreneurs. They will be coming to work with our Year 9, 10 and interested Year 11 students at the beginning of Terms 3 and 4 to introduce them to entrepreneurship and to help them to find out more about making a business pitch and marketing and branding. The Academy of Entrepreneurs has worked with a number of schools internationally to teach children about the practical world of business. You can find out more about them in this short introductory video or from their website. We're really looking forward to an exciting few days!

In assembly we celebrated the achievements of the students who attended the World Scholar's Cup in Jakarta earlier this month. We are incredibly proud of Nayla, Pyunggang, Zefanya, Tahlia, Jessica, Yunji, Kate-Lee and Juyeong for their achievements

I have been very impressed with how calmly and maturely the High School students have coped with their assessments this week. They have been present and prepared and have responded well to the challenge of assessment week. Teachers will be giving feedback over the coming weeks and it is important to remember that assessments can be a chance for learning as well as checking understanding and the ability to work under pressure. I would encourage students to take time to listen to their teacher's feedback, to look at the questions they got wrong and to reflect on their mistakes to avoid making them again in the future. It is a good opportunity to determine whether any problems lie in understanding the curriculum or the strategies that they are using to revise the subject content. Doing assessments regularly allows the students to work out how they learn best to prepare them for the rigours of the IB assessments at the end of Year 12.

We have a lot of exciting events coming up before the end of term and would be very happy for you to join us to celebrate Science at our Science fair on Monday 9th June and our Swim Carnival on Thursday 12th June. Many thanks to our teachers for organising these events for the students.

A reminder that the school camps will be during Week 10, if you have not yet made the final payment for camp please do so as soon as possible. The timetable for students who are staying in Jakarta will be shared with families soon. We are expecting all students to be in school on Friday 20th June for the end of semester.

A reminder that the school will be closed next Thursday, 29th May, for Ascension Day.

Dr Beth Ashfield Deputy Principal and Head of High School

**Pejaten's Got Talent** 



Catering will be done by Jungle Toppings and PnF.

# Mr. Anand

#### **University News**

# ChuAng University (CAU) Korean Overseas University Application Webinar

We warmly invite Year 11-12 students and parents from other schools to join us (maximum of 300 participants).

This informative session will focus on Korean overseas applications and will be conducted in Korean. Please note that a recording will not be available, so we encourage all participants to attend the live session.

# Session Details:

• Date: May 28, 2025

• Time: 2:15 PM WIB (Jakarta Time)

• Audience: Korean overseas track students and parents

We kindly ask that participants complete their pre-registration by May 22 through this link: https://forms.office.com/r/ujva2SBbba

Please ensure that attendees provide the correct email address to receive the webinar link.

Thank you.

# Mr. Jeremias Sampang, Jr.

University and Careers Counsellor









